

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY-ORIGINAL APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name; that I verily believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the invention entitled: **DART GAME SCORE BOARD** described and claimed in the attached specification; that I do not know and do not believe that the invention was ever known or used in the United States of America before my invention thereof, or more than one year prior to this application; I do not know and do not believe that the invention was in public use or on sale in the United States of America more than one year prior to this application; that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims; that I acknowledge my duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to the examination of this application; the invention has not been patented or made the subject of an inventor's certificate issued before the date of this application more than six months prior to this application; and that no applications for patents or inventor's certificates on this design have been filed in any country foreign to the United States of America prior to this application by me or my legal representatives or assigns.

I hereby appoint Frank A. Lukasik, 1250 West Marion Avenue, Unit #142, Punta Gorda, Florida 33950, telephone number (941) 637 1970, Patent and Trademark Office Registration Number 22,440, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. Address all correspondence to the above named attorney.

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or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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37 C.F.R. 1.9 (f) and 1.27 (b)

Sir:

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.9 (c) for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41 (2) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, to the Patent and Trademark Office with regard to the invention entitled **DART GAME SCORE BOARD** described in the specification and drawings filed herewith.

I have not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed and am under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license, any rights in the invention to any person who could not be classified as an independent inventor under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 (c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 (d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(e).

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